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THURSDAY, JUNE 23, 1785.

LONDON, *March* 21.

A LETTER from Spaniſh Town, Cape Breton, dated December 13, ſays, "A new Britiſh colony is forming here, under the auſpices of —— Des Barres, Eſq; an engineer in the Britiſh ſervice. Government hired a large ſhip, loaded her with every neceſſary for ſettling a colony, and gave a number of adventurers their paſſage in her. The whole buſineſs was planned and ready for execution laſt ſpring; but, through ſome unaccountable circumſtance, the ſhip did not arrive here till ſo late in the year as to render her effecting a landing very precarious; and even, when effected, the probability of providing themſelves habitations before the enſuing ſpring was equally doubtful. Unfortunately no attention ſeems to have been paid in London to the morals or characters of the adventurers who embarked in this project, as from their behaviour, there appears to have been no motive for ſending them hither, but to eaſe their country of a nuiſance; for, a few Germans excepted, they are a collection of the moſt profligate, indolent vagabonds, that ever diſgraced a kid ſhip.

"I arrived here on the 27th of November, and though they had been on ſhore near three weeks, the public ſtore-houſe was not covered in: ſo that in caſe of a high tide, or a fall of ſnow, their proviſions and utenſils (which lay expoſed on the beach) muſt have been all loſt or deſtroyed, and the forming of a ſettlement delayed another year, or perhaps for ever.

"Moſt fortunately for them, captain Stone, (a gentleman poſſeſſed of the greateſt feelings and humanity,) arrived in the Hermione frigate. His arrival entirely changed the ſtate of their affairs, and probably ſaved the unthinking wretches from inevitable deſtruction.

"Upon the whole we may juſtly aſcribe the preſervation of this infant colony to the humanity, care, and aſſiduity, of captain Stone and his people."

April 1. The part which the people of this country have at preſent to act, is ſingularly new and unprecedented in the hiſtory of Europe. Ireland is to be connected with Great-Britain, not as a dependent province, not by ſuch an union as has conjoined and incorporated England and Scotland; not by repreſentation in one common council or congreſs, as the Acæan cities of old; but the union to which the language of the day points, is a union of mere complaiſance. It is ſaid they are ſiſter kingdoms, and the ſtrength of the one is the ſtrength of the other. But ſiſters are often rivals, and ſometimes only agree in producing a reciprocity of miſery and ruin.

Extract of a letter from Madrid, November 24.

"The following copy of a letter from Peru, bearing date the 16th of June laſt, is handed about here and has occaſioned the greateſt alarm amongſt the mercantile inhabitants of this city:

"On the 13th of laſt month (May 1784) a moſt dreadful earthquake entirely deſtroyed, in leſs than five minutes, the whole town of Arequipa, where no edifice is left ſtanding but the monaſtery of the recollectine friars. The following phænomenon took place on this occaſion: A ſpot of ground was removed to the diſtance of about 400 fathoms, without the trees that ſtood on it being the leaſt injured! a kitchen garden met with the ſame fate, the greens ſtanding thereon remaining in the ſame ſtate of perfection. Several plaines in the neighbourhood, which ſtood on parched and dry ſoil, now abound with watry ſprings to ſuch a degree as to form navigable rivers. Notwithſtanding the very great number of houſes that fell or were ſwallowed up in the ground, yet providentially not above 300 lives are been loſt. The clergy have erected, in the greateſt hurry, ſeveral huts here and there for the purpoſe of performing divine ſervice, as there are not in this town any parochial or any other churches, except the above monaſtery, to be ſeen within the dioceſe of Arequipa. Such is the late ſituation of a province, which, for its wealth, had been ſurnamed the Venice of Peru."

April 6. The learned Dr. Lind, F. R. S. has lately made trial of a medicine which has effectually and inſtantly removed the gout from the ſtomach in five different patients. The medicine is the vitriolic ether, a teaſpoonful of which Dr. Lind gives in an ounce of camphorated julep, with half an ounce of peppermint water.

The above ſimple preſcription has inſtantly relieved the complaint, when uſquebaugh, brandy, opium, and other medicines commonly uſed, had failed; it was found efficacious when no other medicine had preceded its exhibition. As this practice, mentioned by ſome writers, is far from being generally known, Dr. Lind communicated it to Sir Joſeph Banks, who has occaſioned it to be publiſhed, for the benefit of thoſe afflicted with that dangerous and painful diſorder.

Extract of a letter from Wincheſter, April 2.

"This day at twelve o'clock, Mr. Robert Carpenter, for ſome time paſt a navy agent at Portſmouth, and who was convicted at our laſt aſſizes of forging ſeamens bills and powers, in order to defraud them of their wages, was, in conformity to his ſentence, conveyed from the gaol in this city, to the place of execution; where after ſpending ſome time in acts of devotion, he was launched into eternity, in the preſence of a vaſt multitude of pitying beholders, a great part of whom ſhed tears upon the melancholy occaſion. He is ſaid to have left a fortune of 7000l. behind him, beſides a houſe very ſuperbly furniſhed at Portſmouth, which it is ſaid has been ſeized by government ſince the ſigning of his death warrant. He has left a wife, a very genteel woman, and three children behind him, who are totally unprovided for, by the forfeiture of his effects to the crown. He was dreſſed very genteel, in a new ſuit of mourning, and was conveyed to the place of execution in a mourning coach. He did not deny the crime for which he was going to ſuffer, but ſaid that Mr. Miller, one of the principal evidences, never ſaw him in his life. He died very penitently."

The Hazard, Bett, put into Breſt, ſays, they have prodigious quantities of timber brought there for the building of ſhips of war; that the ſtore houſes are filled with hemp, cordage, &c. A fine ſecond rate was nearly off the ſtocks, to carry 90 guns on three decks; and three fourth rates mounting from 50 to 60 guns on two decks and the quarter deck. Two 36 gun frigates, mounting twelve pounders, beſides the quarter deck and forecaſtle, had ſailed to join the grand fleet aſſembling in Spain.

April 11. The public attention is at preſent fixed on the treaties of alliance, which are ſaid to be as good as concluded on between Auſtria, Ruſſia, England, Denmark and Venice, on the one part, and on the other part, between France, Pruſſia, Sardinia, Holland, Sweden and Saxony, which will render an almoſt general war in Europe inevitable.

Extract of a letter from Manchester, April 2.

"In the courſe of a few days a petition will be preſented to parliament, ſigned by 15 of the moſt reſpectable houſes in this town, who employ about 38,000 work people, in the different branches of the cotton manufacture, ſtating that unleſs the preſent oppreſſive and impolitic tax be repealed, they ſhall be under the neceſſity of ſeeking a more favourable climate, as they find it utterly impracticable to purſue their buſineſs, ſubject to the deſtructive ſyſtem of the exciſe laws. About the year 1745, one man was baniſhed from this town to France, which has entailed more ruin and miſchief on this kingdom, than perhaps even the loſs of America.

"We are ſorry to foreſee theſe omens of ſorrow and evil tendency; but unleſs a repeal take place, it requires no great ſagacity to foretel the miſchief that will follow.

"The following notice is ſtuck up in a principal warehouſe in this town.—"No work can be delivered out of this warehouſe, whilſt the trade is ſubject to exciſe laws, and the liberty of Britons is wrenched from them by the hand of oppreſſion."

It is ſaid, that the emperor of Ruſſia has already ſettled with her powerful allies the means to aſcertain the crown of Poland, (when vacant) to one of the great duke's children; and that, for this reaſon, France had done all in her power to raiſe the Turks out of their uſual inactivity.

In caſe of a war, Ruſſia is to aſſiſt Auſtria againſt the Turks; and very likely a Ruſſian army will appear on the Turkiſh frontiers, even before the negotiation, or the war with Holland begins.

The French court has iſſued orders to prepare an encampment for a conſiderable body of troops in French Flanders. The king of Pruſſia has begun to form two encampments. The empreſs of Ruſſia will follow the example of her neighbours; even the Turks begin marching troops towards Bender. From the movements of theſe different powers, there is great reaſon to expect a general war in a few months.

The mail from the Weſt-Indies, which arrived on Wedneſday laſt, has brought over large remittances to the merchants, with orders for great quantities of goods.

KINGSTON, *(Jamaica) April* 23.

The Anne, on her paſſage from Charleſton, touched at Cape Nichola Mole, and the captain, a paſſenger, and four ſeamen went on ſhore in the boat; the mate with the veſſel, after lying to off the Cape two days without ſeeing her return, proceeded for this place. The captain and ſeamen arrived here in the boat on Monday.

The ſloop Ragged Fortune, which arrived here on Tueſday laſt, from St. Domingo, called in at Aux Cayes, but the French would not permit her to land any part of her cargo, and ordered her inſtantly to depart.

By a gentleman juſt arrived from the Windward Iſlands, we learn, that ſeveral frigates are ſtationed there for the purpoſe of keeping out all American bottoms, and totally excluding them from trading; and that in conſequence of this regulation ſeveral ſail of veſſels were obliged to weigh anchor again immediately after their arrival and proceed for other ports.

We hear that a number of French armed veſſels are now cruiſing on the coaſt of Hiſpaniola, to prevent a contraband trade being carried on from this iſland, and it is ſaid that ſeveral ſloops and ſchooners were laſt week taken by them.

The captain of a veſſel from Martinico informs, that not a barrel of ſugar or coffee is permitted, on any terms, to be carried from thence to America, at the riſk of veſſel and cargo. And adds, that a duty of four livres (ten ſhillings) is laid on every quintal of cod fiſh and ſalt proviſions; alſo an additional duty of five and an half per cent. on molaſſes and rum.

The ſhip Jamaica brought two priſoners on board of her from Port Antonio, viz. a ſoldier and one John Matthews, the former for murdering his comrade, and the latter for having attempted to poiſon the maſter of the ſloop Aſſiſtance, in which he ſailed; and afterwards endeavoured to ſtrangle him whilſt aſleep in his cabin. Matthews had taken a paſſage on board the Aſſiſtance at St. Anne's Bay, but after the foregoing attempt was landed at Port-Antonio, and committed to priſon, where he remained till the Jamaica being ready to ſail for this port, he, with the ſoldier, were guarded by lieutenant Vincent of the 19th regiment, and ſix men on board of her. They are lodged in the gaol of this town, to take their trials at the enſuing Surry aſſizes.

CHARLESTON, *(S. C.) May* 19.

About a month ago, near Camden, a melancholy accident deprived a worthy woman of her life. Three men, who had been out a hunting, called at her houſe, where, as they were amuſing themſelves with their guns, and one of them continued to ſnap a loaded piece, to the apparent danger of his companions ſhe undertook, in a friendly manner, to expoſtulate with them on their raſh imprudence: upon which the fooliſh man threatened, with a jocular air, to ſhoot her, and preſented his piece towards her, expecting it would only ſnap as it had done repeatedly, but to his great aſtoniſhment and diſtreſs, it went off, and diſcharged its contents into her neck, which killed her on the ſpot.

In the preface to the cenſure of the Doctors of Sorbonne on the writings of the Abbe Raynal, is the following character of M. de Voltaire:

"Death has put an end to the blaſphemies of that writer, ſo celebrated for his uncommon talents, ſo culpable on account of that ſame man, who, in the ſight of all Europe, ſpent his whole life in defending and propagating impiety. As a philoſopher, raſh, and without principles; as a poet, licentious and diſſolute; as an hiſtorian, void of judgment and good faith; laying claim to all the ſciences, without going deep into any; eager to degrade all merit that ſtood in his own way; and proſtituting his talents and his labour during the courſe of his long life, for the purpoſe of becoming the oracle and idol of his age. He knew well the power of ridicule over the greater part of mankind, and he failed not to avail himſelf of ſo uſeful a weapon, in order to ſeduce weak minds. He knew well that moſt readers are incapable of diſcuſſion, of ſerious examination and reflection, and that every thing which ſerves to deliver them from a terror of religion which puts a reſtraint on the paſſions, is received with eagerneſs and applauſe. Hence the impieties which he uttered are ſeaſoned with ſome ſacrilegious jeſts; hence he ſpares not the ſharpeſt ſatire; and, if he undertakes to ſubvert the doctrines of our religion, diſfigures them by the ridicule thrown upon them. Or does he ſeek to deſtroy the immortality of the ſoul, the foundations of morality, and the rewards and puniſhments of a future life, he recurs not to reaſoning; he aſſumes the tone of raillery and irony; he tries to excite laughter; he turns every thing to a jeſt. It matters not that he advances abſurdities, that he often contradicts himſelf, and deſerves no credit; nothing ſtops him, if he can procure himſelf readers. In ſhort he employs againſt religion the moſt diſſolute libertiniſm, and the depravity of the moſt corrupt heart."

PHILADELPHIA, *June* 10.

Extract of a letter from Kingſton, Jamaica, dated April 27.

"It is reported that the troops and ſhipping, now at the Muſquito ſhore, will be recalled from thence, ſo as to be in this iſland before the autumnal rains ſet in there, which generally commence about the latter end of Auguſt, and then the inhabitants are partially afflicted with fevers and agues, though the country is, in general, very healthy."

Tueſday morning, a young man of this city, undertook for a wager of one guinea, to pick up, in 56 minutes, one hundred ſtones, placed at a yard diſtance from each other, and to return every time to put them one by one in his hat. The ſpace he had to walk was five miles and three quarters, which he performed with eaſe in 47 minutes.

June 11. A letter from James Duff, Eſq; of Cadiz, to Meſſieurs French Tilghman and Co. of Baltimore, dated March 18 ſays, "I am glad to be able to inform you, that the American brig, commanded by captain Irwin, which was carried into Tangiers ſome months ago, has been liberated by the emperor of Morocco, and poſitive orders given to the governor there, to give every aſſiſtance in his power towards diſpatching her. This intelligence will, no doubt, be agreeable to you."

It was expected that ſoon after the departure of the Halifax Packet, lord Shelburne, (now marquis of Lanſdown) would be promoted to the head of the treaſury, vice Mr. Pitt, who is to continue chancellor of the exchequer. This arrangement, was many months ago, agreed on with chancellor lord Thurlow at a negotiation at Aix-la Chapelle, but a letter by the packet of the 9th of April, mentions, that the oppoſition from the Britiſh manufacturers to Mr. Pitt's Iriſh propoſitions, will oblige that gentleman to abandon them, and may probably drive him from the helm of adminiſtration; ſo unſtable is the ſituation of even the moſt popular premier in that country.

The refugees in Nova-Scotia, it is poſitively ſaid, have made encroachments on the province of Main, in the ſtate of Maſſachuſetts, and that they have formed ſettlements at leaſt twenty miles within the boundaries of that ſtate.

The inhabitants of the province of Main, like thoſe in the weſtern waters, are panting for a ſeparate independence and ceſſion of territory—which, from the unwieldineſs of many of our preſent governments, and too great an extent of dominion, muſt ſooner or later take place.

June 13. We have already mentioned the arrival of the rev. Dr. Nisbett, with his family, in the Alexander, captain Ritchie, in 44 days from Glaſgow:—In the ſame veſſel alſo came paſſengers, the rev. Mr. Thompſon and lady; the rev. Mr. Addiſon; Dr. Lake and family; Mr. Rois and his lady, formerly Miſs Watſon, of this city; Mrs. Dobſon; Mrs. Taylor; and Meſſieurs Smart, Rankin and Breedin: With about 100 other paſſengers, who are all in good health and ſpirits. —The Alexander will ſhortly return to Glaſgow.

Extract of a letter from the Hague, dated March 23, *to a merchant in London.*

"The probability of ſurrendering the Scheld to the emperor is truly farcical; we might with equal policy ſurrender to him Amſterdam and Rotterdam; for of what ſervice would theſe great commercial towns be to us, if the navigation of the Scheld was opened, which would of courſe bring back the trade to Antwerp, and render it again the firſt trading town in Europe?

"We muſt be reduced to the laſt extremity before ſuch a ſurrender can even enter the heads of the moſt weak and cowardly among us. Joſeph muſt wreſt it from us by arms, if ever he becomes ſovereign of its ſtream; and by arms it is more than probable he will be moſt forcibly reſiſted.

"Six regiments have received orders to march immediately for Reignland, where they will be reinforced in a few days with more. Other troops have alſo orders to begin their march for Maeſtricht, in order to ſtrengthen that town; and the officers belonging to their arſenal are preparing ſeveral thouſand ſtand of arms for our infantry, and accoutrements for one thouſand cavalry. All theſe preparations do not ſeem to indicate the paſſiveneſs of our countrymen. We do not entirely depend upon the aſſiſtance to be given us by the French; ſome we expect from you. What will become of your ſtaple trade, if the commodious harbour of Antwerp is opened? You ſurely do not forget by what means the art of making woollen clothes was firſt imported into your country in 1430.

"Had it not been for the perſecutions of the manufacturers in that branch by the duke of Alva, you would not have had the artiſts emigrate from Flanders and Brabant, to the enriching of your country. Under the emperor there is no perſecution: he is bent on forwarding the intereſts of his ſubjects; and the great encouragement he is giving to trade, you may be certain will not be neglected by them. The inhabitants of Auſtrian Brabant will feed large flocks in their fertile vallies, and render their woollen manufacture at leaſt a formidable rival to yours, if they do not in time entirely ruin it."

ANNAPOLIS, *June* 23.

WASHINGTON COLLEGE, State of Maryland.

On Tueſday and Wedneſday (June 7th and 8th, 1785,) the third *anniverſary commencement* was held in this ſeminary, when the following degrees were conferred, viz.

BACHELORS OF ARTS.

Lawſon Alexander, Daniel M'Curtin, Levin Gale, Robert Goldſborough, William Hemſley, Samuel Keene, Ebenezer Perkins, and Thomas Worrall.

MASTERS OF ARTS.

Charles Smith, John Scott, William Bordley, William Barrol, and the reverend John Bowie, Dorcheſter county.

DOCTORS IN DIVINITY.

Rev. John Gordon, Talbot county; rev. William Thomſon, Cecil county; rev. Samuel Keene, Caroline county; rev. John Carroll, Montgomery county; rev. Thomas John Clagget, Prince-George's county; rev. William Weſt, rev. John Andrews, Baltimore county; rev. Charles Henry Wharton, New-Caſtle on Delaware; and the rev. Patrick Alliſon, Baltimore, D. D. of the univerſity of Pennſylvania, AD EUNDEM in this college.

The public exerciſes were continued through both days, under the direction of the *rev. Dr. Smith*, as PRINCIPAL; and before a crouded and judicious auditory. Sixteen of the viſitors and governors of the college attended the meeting, among whom was his excellency governor PACA, whoſe great abilities and zeal for the advancement of literature, in common with the other members of the corporation, were eminently exerted, in their attention to the progreſs of the ſtudents, and in paſſing neceſſary rules for the further advancement of the ſeminary.

Juſt and well merited applauſe was given to the youth in *general* for their manly exhibitions in *oratory* and *compoſition*. To give an account of the ſeveral public exerciſes and do juſtice to each particular ſpeaker, would go beyond the bounds alloted to the preſent account, and may be the ſubject of ſome future publication.

On Friday laſt arrived in this port the brig Rebecca, captain Garſton, from St. Euſtatius—A gentleman on board has favoured us with the following:

"On Monday the ſixth inſtant, at about five o'clock in the morning, lat. 34, N. long. 76, 34, W. we ſaw a ſail to windward with colours (ſuppoſed to be French) hoiſted as a ſignal of diſtreſs, and firing to leeward, we concluded ſhe was really ſo; at ſeven we hoiſted our colours and laid to, until ſhe came along ſide; ſhe proved a ſhip of about twenty guns, with Spaniſh colours; ſhe hailed us, and demanded from whence we came, and where bound, in a language we could not well underſtand; but captain Garſton anſwered, and informed them; they then ordered him to hoiſt out his boat and come on board; he anſwered, it leaked ſo bad he could not; what did they want? they ſaid there was war, that they were a king's ſhip from Lavadecrus, and wanted to ſearch his hold; they then ordered us to hale round to windward while they got out their own boat, which they did in a very little time, and were coming on board with twelve or thirteen men; at the ſame time we ſaw as many more going aloft. Captain Garſton immediately ordered his hands to make ſail, which they willingly obeyed; the boat ſeeing our intention, put about, and rowed for the ſhip again, which prevented their firing for ſome time; after the boat got out of danger they fired and gave chaſe for about two hours, then haled their wind and ſtood to the eaſtward, but ſoon after came to."

His Britannic majeſty's packet, Halifax, captain Boulderſon, will ſail with the July mail, on the 6th of that month, from New-York for Falmouth.

His excellency James Bowdoin, Eſq; is elected governor, and the honourable Thomas Cuſhing, Eſq; lieutenant-governor of the commonwealth of Maſſachuſetts.

Prince George's county, June 11, 1785.

Will be expoſed to public ſale, on the premiſes, on Thurſday the 20th of July next, if fair, if not the next fair day,

A NUMBER of ſtock, conſiſting of horſes, cattle, hogs, and ſheep, and ſome houſehold furniture. Six months credit will be given, on giving bond with approved ſecurity.

All thoſe who have claims againſt the eſtate of captain Tobias Belt, late of ſaid county, deceaſed, are requeſted to bring them in legally proved that they may be ſettled, and all thoſe who are indebted to the eſtate are requeſted to make ſpeedy payment, to

1 od 7/6 MARY BELT, executrix.

June 23, 1785.

WHEREAS I have purchaſed of Nicholas Dorſey, of Anne Arundel county, all thoſe two tracts or parcels of land, lying in the county aforeſaid and on Patapſco river, the one called Saint Nighten's Fancy, and the other called Marſhall's Reſt, and have paſſed my bond to him for £. 700 current money, being the conſideration therefor: And whereas the ſaid Nicholas Dorſey hath executed a deed for the conveying the ſaid lands to me and my heirs in fee ſimple, which ſaid deed contains a covenant for further aſſurance or reaſonable requeſt to be made by me; this is therefore to inform and give notice to all perſons whatever, that I have purchaſed the ſaid lands of the ſaid Nicholas Dorſey, and am in the poſſeſſion thereof, and do forbid all perſons purchaſing the ſaid lands.

1 od 7/6 PEREGRINE MERCER.

George-town, June 1, 1785.

WHEREAS my wife Margaret Maguire has abſented herſelf from my bed and board, I do hereby forewarn all perſons from dealing with her on my account, as I will not pay any debts of her contracting.

1 Wm Deakins, jun PAT. MAGUIRE.

June 20, 1785.

STRAYED or STOLEN,

FROM Baſil Brooke's, in Montgomery county, the 15th inſtant, at night, three horſes, viz. one about fourteen hands and a half high, ſix years old, a good bay, has no white about him except ſaddle ſpots, rather ſlender, trots moſtly, has been docked and carries his tail well; another about fourteen hands and an inch high, a yellow bay, ten years old, with a blaze that comes down to a point on his noſe, has three white feet, many ſaddle ſpots near his withers, a ſwitch tail, and high hip bones, paces and trots; the laſt is a good bay, about thirteen hands and a half high, ſix years old, and well made, has a long mixed ſtar and three white feet, a ſwitch tail, and trots altogether. They were in good plight for travelling, and have been uſed to draw; they had all ſhoes before except the laſt, who had lately loſt one of his, and each was branded on the near buttock T P, but the T on one or more of them not quite plain. Whoever conveys them to the ſaid Baſil Brooke, or gives information ſo that I get them again, ſhall receive ſix dollars reward, and more in proportion if the diſtance exceeds twenty miles. They will probably aim for Virginia, near Richmond, where they belong. w 3

1 3 7/6 THOMAS PLEASANTS.

George-town, April 28, 1785.

THE ſubſcribers being empowered by the aſſignees of Meſſieurs Clement Biddle, and Co. to ſettle and adjuſt the affairs of that concern in this ſtate, earneſtly requeſt thoſe who are citizens and have claims againſt the ſaid concern to bring them in, likewiſe thoſe indebted are deſired to make immediate payment. w 6

5 JAMES M. LINGAN,
WILLIAM B. MAGRUDER.

Houſes and lots for ſale.

March 23, 1785.

To be SOLD by the ſubſcriber, at private ſale,

THREE very valuable houſes and lots, ſtanding on Prince-George's-ſtreet, one of the moſt commodious and convenient ſtreets for trade of any in the city of Annapolis. For terms apply to the ſubſcriber.

10 THOMAS RUTLAND.

Imported by the ſubſcribers, in the laſt ſhips from Europe,

A LARGE and general aſſortment of goods, ſuitable to the ſeaſon, which they will ſell at their ſtore on the Dock, in Annapolis, at wholeſale and retail, for caſh, bills of exchange, and tobacco, or any certificates liquidated under the acts of aſſembly of Maryland, or paper money now in circulation.

THOMAS and BENJAMIN HARWOOD.

N. B. They requeſt thoſe who had goods laſt ſummer of them, on credit, to make immediate payment. 3

THERE is at the plantation of Talbot Shipley, in Anne-Arundel county, about three miles from Hood's tavern, between Baltimore and Frederick, taken up as a ſtray, a dark bay horſe, about ſixteen years old, not branded, about thirteen hands high, and goes lame. The owner may have him again on proving property and paying charges.

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Intendant's-office, April 28, 1785.

AS many purchaſers of confiſcated Britiſh property, for the emiſſions of June 1780, and the emiſſion of May 1781, neglected to give bond before the firſt day of this month, agreeably to the directions of the act to eſtabliſh funds, &c. ſuch debtors as are able to pay, are liable to immediate ſuit, and judgments can be obtained the firſt court, and executions thereon iſſue to compel the payment of the money due the ſtate in the money contracted for: The intendant of the revenue, deſirous to avoid bringing ſuits, if the intention of the act can be complied with, and ſubſtantial juſtice can be done with it, gives notice to ſuch debtors who have not given bond, that if they will pay to the treaſurer of the weſtern ſhore, on or before the 10th day of July next, in ſpecie, or in the emiſſions of June 1780 (commonly called ſtate, and ſtate continental) one ſixth of the ſums due from them reſpectively, that they ſhall, on giving bond before the ſaid 10th day of July next, with ſecurity for the reſidue, including intereſt to the firſt day of September laſt, have credit until the firſt day of January 1790; and they may diſcharge ſuch reſidue of their debt in any ſpecie certificates iſſued by this ſtate. All debtors who do not comply with this offer, will be ſued immediately after the ſaid 10th day of July, without any diſtinction. 6 w 5

DAN. OF ST THO. JENIFER, intendant of the revenue.

Intendant's-office, April 28, 1785.

THERE appearing to be about the ſum of twenty thouſand pounds of the emiſſions of June 1780, including intereſt, commonly called ſtate and ſtate continental paper money, in circulation, more than the amount of bonds lodged in the treaſury, and particularly appropriated by law for the redemption of theſe emiſſions; to ſecure the payment of which bills, the act to eſtabliſh funds, &c. directs, that after the firſt day of June next, a draught ſhall be made of bonds taken for the redemption of the emiſſion of May 1781, and of the bonds taken in virtue of the ſaid act for property ſold, and not bonded for before the act paſſed: It being the deſire of the intendant to avoid a draught, if the redemption of the bills to the amount above ſtated can be ſecured in any other manner, he propoſes to all thoſe who have bonds in the office liable to a draught as aforeſaid, that the balance aforeſaid directed to be ſecured, be paid by the 10th day of July next, into the treaſury, by the debtors, in proportion to their ſeveral debts, in ſpecie, or the ſaid bills. This will require about one eighth of the ſums due to be paid. If, therefore, the ſaid debtors, before the day above mentioned, pay into the treaſury one eighth of their debts reſpectively, in ſpecie or the bills aforeſaid, and the ſum paid in is equal to the balance to be ſecured as aforeſaid or nearly ſo, the intendant will apply the ſame, with ſuch other means as may be in his power, to the purpoſe aforeſaid; and the debtors to the ſtate will be relieved from the hazard of a draught, which might be very diſtreſſing to individuals, though the contribution made by all will make the burthen very light, by being divided; and if there ſhould not be a ſufficient ſum for the purpoſe aforeſaid made up by the debtors, with the other means in the intendant's power, by the day aforeſaid, and a draught muſt take place, then thoſe who do pay into the treaſury, in conſequence of this notice, ſhall have their money returned, and muſt ſtand their chance of being draughted, as the intendant has no power to excuſe any individual, if there is a draught. 6 w

DAN. OF ST. THO. JENIFER, intendant of the revenue. 5

Annapolis, June 1, 1785.

THE ſubſcriber, having been duly appointed to ſucceed the late Mr. Nourſe as commiſſioner to ſettle the accounts between the United States and the ſtate of Maryland, and the individuals thereof, hereby gives notice, that he has opened an office for that purpoſe at the ſtadt-houſe in this city, where attendance will be given from ſix to eight o'clock in the morning, and from nine to two o'clock in the afternoon. All claimants will take notice, that their accounts or abſtracts of their demands muſt be preſented to this office within twelve months from the above date, or they will be precluded from the benefit of a ſettlement, except at the treaſury board of the United States. It is expected no account will be preſented without proper vouchers, in order to prevent delay and diſappointment. 6 w

2 JOHN WHITE, commiſſioner.

April 15, 1785.

Will be ſold to the higheſt bidder, at Leeſburg, on the ſecond Monday in July,

A VALUABLE plantation, containing 115 acres, ſituated within 25 miles of Dumfries, Colcheſter, or Alexandria, and on the road leading from either place to Leeſburg. A great part of the plantation is fine tobacco land and there is none but what is good for farming, and well timbered. The payments will be made eaſy to the purchaſer. The above land may be had at private ſale. w 6

4 JOHN MONROE.

June 12, 1785.

THE public ſale of the ſubſcribers lands, in Calvert county, is poſtponed until Thurſday the 21ſt day of July next, when it will certainly be, in Lower Marlborough, at twelve o'clock, on the terms heretofore advertiſed, unleſs before diſpoſed of by private ſale, of which timely notice will be given, by

2 CLEMENT SMITH,
PAT. SIM SMITH.

Anne-Arundel county, May 20, 1785.

Will be offered for ſale, on Monday the 27th day of June next, if fair, if not the next fair day,

THE ſubſcriber's valuable plantation, containing three hundred and twenty five acres, lying within three miles of Herring bay, and five of Lower Marlborough, the ſoil is remarkably good for tobacco, corn, wheat, rye, oats, &c. at this time there are about fifteen acres of excellent tobacco ground lying before the door, which produces as large tobacco as grows in the ſettlement; this land has a great quantity of meadow ground, about twenty acres cleared, the greater part in cultivation, a ſufficiency of rail timber to ſupport the land for many years to come; the improvements are, a new dwelling houſe twenty four by twenty-eight, a cellar the bigneſs of the houſe, a hall, two rooms, and a paſſage below, completely finiſhed, and four above, a new kitchen, and paled garden built this ſpring, a milk houſe, quarter, corn houſe, tobacco houſe, overſeers houſe, &c. two good apple orchards and other fruit of different kinds. Two years credit will be given from the day of ſale, on paying one third of the purchaſe money in October next. Poſſeſſion may be had the firſt day of November, when a deed will be given to the purchaſer, by

5 GILBERT HAMILTON SMITH.

London-town, May 25, 1785.

RAN away from the ſubſcriber, the 28th of March laſt, a negro lad named WILL PRIMUS, about 20 or 22 years of age, tall and ſlender, has a long viſage, and thick under lip, he is very artful, and a great rogue; he has been ſeen about the neighbourhood of Annapolis within theſe three weeks, but it is probable he has by this time gone further, perhaps to Baltimore, as he has ſome acquaintances there. Whoever will bring him to me, or ſecure him ſo that I get him again, ſhall receive three pounds, if taken out of this county five pounds.

4 JAMES M'CULLOCH.

By the PRESIDENT and DIRECTORS of the PATOWMACK COMPANY, May 31, 1785.

ORDERED, That the proprietors of the ſaid company pay into the hands of William Hartſhorne, treaſurer of the ſaid company, on each ſhare five pounds ſterling, on or before the 15th day of July next, and alſo the further ſum of two pounds ten ſhillings ſterling, on or before the 1ſt day of October next.

G. WASHINGTON, preſident,
THOMAS JOHNSON,
THOMAS S. LEE,
GEORGE GILPIN,
JOHN FITZGERALD,

Four hundred and three of the five hundred ſhares in the Patowmack company having been ſubſcribed, books are now opened at Mr. William Hartſhorne's, treaſurer, in Alexandria, to receive the firſt ſubſcriptions that may be offered to make up the ninety-ſeven remaining ſhares.

ADVERTISEMENT.

THE preſident and directors of the Patowmack company will meet at Alexandria, on Friday the firſt day of July next, to agree with a ſkilful perſon to conduct the opening and improving the navigation of Patowmack river from the Great Falls to Payne's, and from the upper part of the Shanandoah to the higheſt place practicable on the North Branch, and alſo to agree with two aſſiſtants and overſeers; alſo that liberal wages will be given to any number not exceeding one hundred good hands, with proviſions and a reaſonable quantity of ſpirits; that a further encouragement will be given to ſuch as are dexterous in boring and blowing rocks, in which ſervice a proportion of the men will be employed, and that the conductor of the work, or ſome other perſon authoriſed, will attend at Seneca, on the third day of July next, and at Shanandoah, on the 6th, to contract with the men who may offer for this ſervice.

By order of the board,
JOHN POTTS, jun. ſecretary.

AGREEABLE to the reſolve of congreſs of May 10, 1780, reſpecting the renewal of loan-office certificates deſtroyed by accident, I, the ſubſcriber, do notify, that on or about the 6th day of January 1780, my dwelling houſe, in Talbot county, in the ſtate of Maryland, was conſumed by fire, and therein were burnt and conſumed two continental loan-office certificates, that is to ſay, one certificate, No. 1859, for one thouſand dollars, and one other certificate, No. 1860, for one thouſand dollars alſo, both of which certificates were iſſued at the continental loan-office, in Philadelphia, on the 7th day of April 1779, and were taken out in the name of Joſeph Bruff, of Talbot county, in the ſtate of Maryland, and this notice is given to entitle the owner to have the ſaid certificates renewed.

6 w 6 RACHEL GOLDSBOROUGH.

THE ſubſcriber having furniſhed himſelf with the beſt materials for carrying on the ſtay-making buſineſs, begs leave to inform his good old cuſtomers and others, that the buſineſs is carried on by the ſame perſon as before the war, namely, Richard Littlemore, where orders for ſtays will be thankfully received and carefully executed by their humble ſervant,

CHARLES LANSDALE.

Orders left at the poſt-office Annapolis, ſtores in Queen Anne, Upper Marlborough, Port-Tobacco, Allen's Freſh, Newport, Chaptico, Mr. James Jordan's, Head of Clement's-bay, Leonard-town, the ſaid offices at Alexandria, Bladenſburg, and Georgetown, or the ſubſcriber's houſe at Piſcataway, will punctually complied with.

4 CHARLES LANSDALE.

May 24, 1785.

On the 20th day of September next, if fair, if not the next fair day, will be ſold on the premiſes,

A VALUABLE tract of land, lying in Stafford county, Virginia, well watered, and abounding with good timber. The ſouth bounds of the land are within twelve miles of Fredericksburg, and the north bounds about five miles from Dumfries, both conſiderable and growing towns. The eaſt bounds are about one mile from Aquia warehouſe, and croſſes Aquia run at the fork where the north and ſouth branches divide, each extending weſtward through the whole land, and will furniſh ſeveral valuable mill ſeats. At the fork of the two branches on the eaſtern bounds, and wher both may be included, there is a remarkable convenient ſeat, with abundance of water, for a large merchant mill and ſaw mill, with plenty of ſtone for building, and heights to erect mills of any conſtruction. Adjoining to this ſeat are upwards of one thouſand acres of unclearec land, abounding with timber proper for a ſaw mill, ſuch as large white oak and pine, of the latter many large enough for ſhips lower maſts. The annual rents now on the lands are upwards of twenty-two thouſand pounds of tobacco, and there are upwards of four thouſand acres ſtill unſettled. It is a remarkable healthy place, and from its number of branches and ſmall natural meadows, affords good grazing for ſtock. The whole is laid off in thirty-two lots from one hundred and fifty to three hundred and fifty acres, for the convenience of purchaſers; and a draught may be ſeen, and the land ſhewn on application to colonel Bailey Waſhington, whoſe reſidence is adjoining to it. The conditions and terms of ſale are as follow: The lots to be ſold reſpectively at public ſale, to the higheſt bidder, in ſterling money, or good London bills of exchange. Gold and ſilver will be taken at its value, and crop tobacco of one thouſand net, inſpected within the year, will be received in diſcount at ſuch price as may be agreed on. Deeds to be given with a general warranty. One third of the purchaſe money to be paid down, one third in two years, and the other third in three years, from the day of ſale, with legal intereſt to be paid annually. Bonds to be given with approved ſecurity, and if the annual intereſt, being demanded, is not paid within three months after it becomes due, the indulgence of credit ſhall be forfeited, and a ſuit may be commenced to recover both principal and intereſt. Any purchaſer making the ſecond and third payments, or any part of either, on the day of ſale, will be allowed a diſcount of ten per cent. on ſuch ſum. Any perſon or perſons inclinable to purchaſe the whole before the day of ſale, ſhall have it at a moderate price, on paying down one half the purchaſe money, and giving bond on intereſt, with approved ſecurity, conditioned as above, for payment of the other half within five years from the time of ſale.

5 ts WILLIAM FITZHUGH.

THE gentlemen who have become ſubſcribers, according to the act of aſſembly in that caſe provided, for founding a college on the weſtern ſhore of this ſtate, will be pleaſed to take notice, that elections for chooſing viſitors and governors of the ſaid college will be held at the following times and places, viz. at the STADT-HOUSE in Annapolis, on the 5th day of July next, at 11 o'clock, where all the ſubſcribers reſident in Anne-Arundel county are requeſted to attend for the election of *three viſitors* and governors, to which they are entitled by the amount of their preſent ſubſcriptions. At Nottingham, in Prince-George's county, on the 8th day of July, for the election of one viſitor and governor, by the gentlemen who ſubſcribed to the paper in the hands of the rev Mr. Clagett. At the court-houſe, Upper Marlborough, on the 9th day of July, for the election of one viſitor and governor, by the gentlemen ſubſcribers to the papers in the hands of George Digges, David Craufurd, and Robert Dick, Eſquires, or the rev. Edward Gantt, rev. Mr. Aſhton, and others, deputed in that county to receive ſubſcriptions.

The election for St. Mary's county, will be held at the court houſe in that county, on the 12th day of July; at *Port Tobacco*, for Charles county, on the 13th day of July; at Lower Marlborough, for Calvert county, on the 14th day of July; at George-town, for Montgomery county, on the 15th day of July; at Baltimore-town, for Baltimore county, on the 18th day of July; at which times and places the ſubſcribers, in their reſpective counties, are requeſted to attend by 11 o'clock in the forenoon, where ſome one or more of the agents appointed by law, will attend with complete liſts of the ſubſcribers in each county, who have either already ſubſcribed, or who may ſubſcribe before the day appointed for the election in their reſpective counties. The agents appointed by law, are,

JOHN CARROLL, RICHARD SPRIGG,
WILLIAM SMITH, JOHN STERET,
PATRICK ALLISON, GEORGE DIGGES.

N. B. Notice will be given in ſome future paper of the time of holding the elections for Frederick, Harford, and Waſhington counties, as ſoon as the agents can obtain returns of the ſubſcriptions in thoſe counties, which they requeſt may be forwarded ſo as that the elections may be held before the 1ſt day of Auguſt.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the ſubſcribers intend to preſer a petition to the next general aſſembly, for a law to ſell the land the property of James Cathell, ſon of James, late of Worceſter county, to pay his juſt debts. w 8

JOHN NELLUM,
DIXON TODVINE,
RANDLE SMULING,
NATHANIEL SMULING.

Kent county, May 31, 1785.

TAKEN up about a week ſince, a ſmall BATTEAU, 11 to 12 feet long, 3 feet 10 inches broad; this meaſurement taken within and at the bottom; ſides 15 inches deep, and has two rowlocks. Whoever owns the ſaid batteau may have her by applying to the ſubſcriber, living oppoſite the lower end of Pool's Iſland, and paying charges. 3 w

3 RICHARD LLOYD.

May 30, 1785.

I HAVE ſeveral lots in the city of Annapolis, which I will leaſe on ground rent, or ſell; they lie in a public part of that city, adjoining two ſtreets, one of which is called Market-ſtreet.

All thoſe indebted to me are once more requeſted to pay or ſettle to my ſatisfaction before the middle of July; thoſe who pay no regard to this or former friendly applications, I ſhall conſider as deaf to the voice of reaſon and juſtice, and proceed accordingly without further notice. I deſign to attend every Friday at my office in Annapolis, if the weather be good, and am willing to receive wheat or tobacco, or good merchantable flour, and will allow the beſt price I can get for the ſame. w 6

4 J. HALL.

To be SOLD at the PRINTING-OFFICE,

LAWS OF MARYLAND,

Paſſed November Seſſion, 1784.

LIKEWISE, 4

A REPLY to an ADDRESS to the ROMAN CATHOLICS of the United States of America, by the Author of *A Letter to the Roman Catholics of the City of Worceſter.*

RAN away from the ſubſcriber, living near Annapolis, on the 2d day of April 1784, a negro woman named LUCY, 28 years of age, ſlender made, and has a ſlender hand and foot, ſuppoſed to be about 5 feet 3 or 4 inches high, has a brazen look, and is a little inclined to a yellow complexion; ſome of her jaw teeth are rotten and partly gone, but her upper fore teeth ſtand good and far apart; had on when ſhe went away, a white country cloth ſhort gown and petticoat, an old oſnabrig ſhift, negro ſhoes, and white ſtockings; ſhe took with her two other petticoats, one white linen, the other cotton and linen, one old oſnabrig ſhift, two yards of new holland, ſome few yards of country cloth made with yarn and tow, and one pair of cotton ſtockings partly knit. Whoever takes up the ſaid negro woman, and ſecures her and gives notice to her maſter ſo that he gets her again, ſhall receive, if taken with n 40 miles of home, 20 dollars, if farther 10 pounds, paid by me, 3 BALDWIN LUSBY.

N. B. She tells people wh re ſhe has been ſince ſhe ran away, that ſhe is free and was ſet free by one of the Hopkins's, as they had ſet many free; perhaps ſhe may change her name and her cloaths, and paſs for a free woman; it is ſuppoſed that ſhe went by water, or travelled away with ſome ſoldier from Annapolis.

Juſt imported, and to be SOLD at the Poſt-office, 26

A FEW elegant SPRING CLOCKS, in mahogany, black ornamental, and japan'd caſes.

ALL perſons indebted to Samuel Brogden, late of Anne-Arundel county, deceaſed, are requeſted to make immediate payment, and thoſe who have claims are deſired to make them known, properly authenticated. 3 w

2 WILLIAM BROGDEN, adminiſtrator.

TAKEN up as a ſtray, by John Hanſhaw, near Magothy mill, in Anne-Arundel county, a brindle COW, with a white face, about five years old, has a crop and a hole in the right ear, and a crop and ſlit in the left. The owner may have her again on proving property and paying charges. 2 w 3

TWENTY DOLLARS REWARD.

December 21, 1784.

RAN away from the ſubſcriber, living in Anne-Arundel county, near Queen-Anne, a negro man ſlave named SAM, about five feet ſeven inches high, well made, has a very flat noſe, and when his mouth is ſhut his under lip looks very large and prominent, has a remarkable ſcar upon his neck reaching almoſt from his ear to his collar bone occaſioned by an impoſthume, but on which ſide I am not certain; had on and took with him various articles of cloathing, among which were a coarſe blue cloth coat, white kerſey waiſtcoat, black worſted knit breeches, black leather ſhoes, white metal ſhoe buckles, ſtriped holland coat, nankeen waiſtcoat and breeches, two oſnabrig ſhirts and trouſers, a crocus frock, and a new felt hat, but as he has been abſent from my ſervice ſince the 12th of July laſt it is probable he may have got other cloaths. I have been informed he has a forged paſs and has changed his name from Sam to Jem, and endeavours to paſs for a free man. Whoever will take up and ſecure ſaid negro in any gaol, ſo that I may get him again, ſhall receive the above reward, and reaſonable charges if brought home, paid by

23 WILLIAM DAVIS, jun.

RAN away from the ſubſcriber, living in Prince-George's county, in the holyd ys, a mulatto man named ARCHIBALD, about five feet five inches high, 21 years of age, the calves of his legs are very much ſcarified by a ſcald; he took with him a gray mare, about 14 hands and an inch high, 5 years old, branded on the near buttock B C. Whoever takes up and ſecures the ſaid ſlave, ſo that I get him again, ſhall receive ſix dollars reward, and four dollars for the mare.

4 X BENEDICT CALVERT.

LIST of DEPRECIATION CERTIFICATES, which have been fraudulently obtained, the payment of which is ſtopped at the treaſuries agreeable to an act of the laſt ſeſſion of aſſembly.

In whoſe names iſſued.	Dates.		No.	Sums.			By whom iſſued.
Abel Armat	July 4,	1783	4253	61	6	9	Z. Turner.
Vendel Andrews	Oct. 27,	1783	4641	56	16	9	C. Richmond.
Edward Bailey	May 26,	1782	2321	61	16	9	J. Johnſon.
William Bramble	June 13,	1783	4072	81	18	8	Z. Turner.
William Baſht	Dec. 5.	1783	4868	57	17	0	C. Richmond.
John Burgeis	uly 3,	1782	2476	18	13	5	J. Johnſon.
Ditto			2477	18	13	5	Ditto.
Ditto			2478	18	13	5	Ditto.
Ditto			2479	18	13	5	Ditto.
Ditto			2480	18	13	5	Ditto.
John Barbar	July 24,	1782	3569	40	0	0	Ditto.
Ditto			2570	40	0	0	Ditto.
Ditto			2571	37	15	2	Ditto.
James Beall	Sept. 8,	1784	5213	83	6	8	C. Richmond.
John Coomy	Dec. 17,	178	4924	85	3	4	Ditto.
Patrick Connally	June 23,	1783	4179	110	8	9	Z. Turner.
John Cheſhire	10th ditto		4048	20	0	0	Ditto.
Ditto	ditto		4049	78	2	8	Ditto.
John Callahan	7th ditto		4031	63	16	10	Ditto.
Michael Connell	11th ditto		4059	94	12	3	Ditto.
James Calhoun	Oct. 15,	1783	4600	62	13	11	C. Richmond.
Thomas Cammell	Dec. 5,	1783	4867	56	11	0	Ditto.
Timothy Conn	ditto		4878	56	13	11	Ditto.
Charles Charell	Oct. 15,	1783	4596	57	5	3	Ditto.
Frederick Charell	27th ditto		4658	58	10	1	Ditto.
William Dye	£. 68 17 9	Dec. 16,	1783	4919			
out of which ſtop					47	0	0	Ditto.
John Edwards	June 11,	1783	4057	40	0	0	Z. Turner.
Ditto	ditto		4058	38	18	8	Ditto.
Patrick Flemon	June 21		4162	58	18	3	Ditto.
Nathan Foſter	April 20,	1784	5059	74	2	8	C. Richmond.
John Francis	£. 82 7 8	June 20,	1783	4148			
out of which ſtop					39	7	8	Z. Turner.
Peter Finley	Oct. 27,	1783	4646	63	5	3	C. Richmond.
Jeremiah Farrell	Dec. 30,	1783	4934	60	10	8	Ditto.
Ditto			4935	60	0	0	Ditto.
Alexander Grim	July 26,	1782	2594	40	0	0	J. Johnſon.
Ditto			2595	45	12	0	Ditto.
Andrew Goar	Oct. 27,	1783	4650	56	19	8	C. Richmond.
John Hammerſly	June 18,	1783	4104	63	19	0	Z. Turner.
Joſeph Hyner	Oct. 31		4678	66	19	0	C. Richmond.
Henry Harris	June 18		4114	40	0	0	Z. Turner.
Ditto	ditto		4115	40	16	0	Ditto.
John Hickins	Sept. 22,	1781	1170	40	0	0	W. Wilkins.
Ditto	ditto		1171	33	1	2	Ditto.
Charles Howard	June 21,	1783	4165	85	6	0	Z. Turner.
Thomas Hewington	July 2		4231	40	15	5	Ditto.
George Henſell	Oct. 15,	1783	4593	56	18	9	C. Richmond.
Henry Hargrader	Oct. 27		4647	58	14	5	Ditto.
George Hyatt	ditto		4647	63	18	10	Ditto.
Philip Helter	ditto		4654	58	5	9	Ditto.
John Hart	ditto		4656	63	16	2	Ditto.
George Hartſell	Dec. 5		4873	56	13	11	Ditto.
Michael Hauſman	ditto		4872	57	2	5	Ditto.
Charles Hickey	June 13,	1783	4073	40	0	0	Z. Turner.
Ditto	ditto		4074	46	18	8	Ditto.
Henry Iiams	June 11		4055	40	0	0	Ditto.
Ditto	ditto		4056	40	8	8	Ditto.
William Jones	24th ditto		4188	40	0	0	Ditto.
Ditto	ditto		4189	44	9	4	Ditto.
William Johnſon	16th ditto		4287	77	12	9	Ditto.
Michael Jackell	Aug. 8		4356	56	8	2	Ditto.
Nicholas Johnſon	Dec. 5		4869	57	1	0	C. Richmond.

In whoſe names iſſued.	Dates.		No.	Sums.			By whom iſſued.
Jacob Kaufman	Oct. 27		4653	58	2	10	C. Richmond.
William Kumiers	Oct. 15		4599	58	1	7	Ditto.
Nicholas Keyſer	27th ditto		4643	56	13	11	Ditto.
Charles Kees	Dec. 5		4877	56	16	9	Ditto.
William Kemp	ditto		4875	56	19	8	Ditto.
Patrick Lynch	April 26,	1783	3075	40	0	0	Z. Turner.
Ditto	ditto		3076	35	5	5	Ditto.
Jacob Levy	Aug. 7		4325	58	11	4	Ditto.
Nicholas Lines	Dec. 5		4876	56	16	9	C. Richmond.
Henry Lane	ditto		4874	56	13	11	Ditto.
William Marquis	April 16,	1784	5058	83	14	2	Ditto.
Dennis M'Carty	Sept. 11,	1781	1113	40	0	0	W. Wilkins.
Ditto	ditto		1114	45	16	0	Ditto.
James M'Guire	Oct. 9,	1783	4574	71	16	10	C. Richmond.
John Macam	Aug. 11,	1783	4390	58	4	3	Z. Turner.
Timothy Mullen	April 11,	1783	3053	87	4	4	Ditto.
John Malcom	June 10		4045	30	0	0	Ditto.
Ditto	ditto		4046	30	0	0	Ditto.
Ditto	ditto		4047	35	16	8	Ditto.
Alexander M'Mackey	Aug 2,	1781	1016	41	15	5	W. Wilkins.
Anthony Miller	Oct. 21,	1783	4622	57	8	3	C. Richmond.
John Miller	27th ditto		4659	80	5	4	Ditto.
Henry Mielberger	ditto		4648	57	5	6	Ditto.
John Moore	ditto		4651	56	16	9	Ditto.
Nicholas Nicholls	Aug. 4,	1784	5188	69	7	0	Ditto.
George Phillips	June 23,	1783	4180	88	1	9	Z. Turner.
Thomas Peacock	£. 58 4 3	Aug. 11,	1783	4392			
out of which ſtop					38	4	5	Ditto.
John Pennington	June 23		4166	83	11	0	Ditto.
John Pickeron	ditto		4186	40	0	0	Ditto.
Ditto	ditto		4187	45	13	8	Ditto.
Joſhua Procter	Oct. 27		4649	57	2	7	
John Radley	June 23,	1783	4169	66	0	0	Ditto.
Ditto	ditto		4170	66	2	0	Ditto.
Abraham Shockey	May 2,	1782	1695	87	0	10	J. Johnſon.
Robert Smith	June 17,	1783	4296	62	0	9	Z. Turner.
James Stilwell	11th ditto		4062	60	0	0	Ditto.
Ditto	ditto		4063	69	16	0	Ditto.
Jeremiah Sullivan	April 12,	1783	3055	40	0	0	Ditto.
Ditto	ditto		3056	47	3	4	Ditto.
Peter Sigman	Oct. 15		4594	58	5	10	C. Richmond.
Joſeph Smith	21ſt ditto		4614	56	13	11	Ditto.
Henry Spengell	27th ditto		4645	56	15	4	Ditto.
John Shultz	ditto		4640	56	9	7	Ditto.
James Smith	ditto		4642	56	12	6	Ditto.
Nicholas Stover	ditto		4655	62	4	5	Ditto.
Peter Shrover	Dec. 5		4865	57	8	4	Ditto.
Valentine Shultz	ditto		4871	79	11	10	Ditto.
George Shriver	ditto		4872	58	5	9	Ditto.
Jacob Smith	March 6,	1784	5037	77	2	2	Ditto.
William Townſend	April 10,	1783	3051	40	3	0	Z. Turner.
Samuel Tindel	Oct 27,	1781	1221	60	8	6	W. Wilkins.
Frederick Tawney	Oct 27,	178	4652	57	10	1	C. Richmond.
William Whipple	May 5,	1784	5072	67	16	8	Ditto.
George Wilton	June 17,	1784	5115	59	13	4	Ditto.
Edward White	July 12,	1782	2528	20	0	0	J. Johnſon.
Ditto	ditto		2529	20	0	0	Ditto.
Ditto	ditto		2530	24	19	8	Ditto.
Richard White	June 18,	1783	4101	35	0	0	Z. Turner.
Ditto	ditto		4102	35	6	3	Ditto.
Frederick Weiger	Oct 15	178	4593	58	14	9	C. Richmond.
Michael Yewling	27th ditto		4644	57	10	1	Ditto.
John Ziegler	Dec. 5,	1783	4879	56	16	9	Ditto.

Auditor's Office, May 28, 1785.

C. RICHMOND, Auditor-General.

LAWS OF MARYLAND.

THE ſubſcriber, printer to the ſtate, takes leave to inform all perſons who wiſh to have a copy of the laws of Maryland, from Bacon's abridgement up to the end of the laſt ſeſſion of aſſembly, with the reſolutions of the ſeveral conventions, the proceedings of the convention that framed the conſtitution, the declaration of rights and form of government, and the articles of confederation, that, by order of the general aſſembly, he ſhall b gin that work in a few months, under the direction of Alexander C. Hanſon and Samuel Chaſe, Eſquires; and as he intends to ſtrike but a few copies more than what are ordered for the public uſe, or engaged by individuals, has ſent ſubſcription papers to the clerks of the ſeveral counties, and a number of other gentlemen in each county, for the purpoſe of collecting the names of thoſe perſons deſirous of ſecuring a copy of this uſeful and neceſſary work, which will be printed with a new letter, on a good paper, of the ſame ſize, and nearly on the ſame plan, with Bacon's, to be delivered (at a particular place in each county) bound in leather, at three pounds each copy. Having requeſted a return of the ſubſcriptions by the middle of Auguſt, he hopes thoſe who mean to ſubſcribe will do it before that time, or they will loſe the opportunity of purchaſing ſo valuable a book.

FREDERICK GREEN.

Annapolis, May, 1785. 5

Office for confiſcated eſtates, Annapolis, May 21, 1785.

ON Monday the 25th of July next, Nanticoke Manor, in Dorcheſter county, will be diſpoſed of at public ſale, for current money, or any ſpecie certificates iſſued by this ſtate, payable the firſt day of January 1790, with intereſt annually. Bond with two approved ſecurities to be given.

This Manor contains ſeveral thouſands of acres, and will be ſold in convenient lots for farming. It includes the town of Vienna, which will be laid off anew, and ſold in ſingle lots.

CLEMENT HOLLYDAY,
GABRIEL DUVALL.
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Prince George's county, May 4, 1785.

WHEREAS, on the 19th day of February 1784, in conſequence of a contract with a certain William Smallwood Wynn, of Prince-George's county, for a parcel of land reſerved him by his father John Wynn, deceaſed, I paſſed my bond to the ſaid Wynn, for the payment of ſuch a certain ſum of money, on or before the 1ſt day of January 1786, as the land, when truly and juſtly laid off, would amount to agreeable to the price per acre on the day of ſale thereof; having now juſt reaſon to think the land ſubject to encumbrances that will prevent my being ſecured in the title thereto, I hereby caution all perſons againſt taking any aſſignment of my bond aforeſaid, as juſtice to myſelf and family requires a good title being made me to the land, before the payment of the above bond.

w7 5 CHARLES BOARMAN.

May 30, 1785.

To be RENTED, and entered on the firſt day of Auguſt next,

THE ſtore rooms, cellar, and compting room, now in the poſſeſſion of colonel John H. Stone. The conveniencies of the ſtore rooms, cellar, and compting room aforeſaid, are too well known to need a particular deſcription, being in Port Tobacco, and in a moſt convenient ſtand for any merchant who propoſes to carry on the purchaſe of tobacco, or any other produce of this part of Maryland. For terms apply to the ſubſcriber in Port-Tobacco. 6 w

3 WILLIAM LAYMAN.

May 23, 1785.

THE ſubſcriber being empowered to collect and receive the debts of Meſſieurs Gale, Fearon, and Co. of London, due them in the ſtate of Maryland, requeſts all perſons indebted to make immediate payment, to enable him to ſatisfy the claims againſt thoſe gentlemen in this ſtate. Conſtant attendance is given at his ſtore, in Upper Marlborough, for that purpoſe.

3 8w JOHN READ MAGRUDER.

A few Copies of
CHAMPION ON COMMERCE,
To be ſold at the Printing-Office.
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George-town, Patowmack River, May 2, 1785.

WHEREAS Charles Beatty and George F. Hawkins did, in the years 1769 and 1770, by way of lottery, diſpoſe of 300 tickets for lots in the Addition to George-town, which ſaid lottery was drawn on or about the firſt day of February 1770, and the ſaid Hawkins has ſince conveyed all his right of ſaid lots and rents to the aforeſaid Beatty, and ſaid Beatty has been and is aſſeſſed with all the lots in ſaid addition, which did not appear by records to be legally conveyed; Notice is hereby given to the poſſeſſors of the tickets where no legal conveyances have been given, to apply for their deeds, and pay the aſſeſſments and annual rents within ſix months from the date hereof, otherwiſe application will be made by the ſubſcriber to have the ſaid lots ſold at public ſale, in order to pay the aſſeſſments and rents.

5 w7 CHARLES BEATTY.

Montgomery county, May 27, 1785.

TWENTY DOLLARS REWARD.

RAN away from the ſubſcriber, on Wedneſday the 25th inſtant, a negro man named CESAR; he is a ſtout well made black fellow, aged about 45 years, his lips large and pouting, talks quick and loud when out of temper; his apparel chiefly conſiſted of ſtriped country cloth when he went away; he was purchaſed of Allen Quynn, Eſq; has had ſeveral maſters in Anne-Arundel county, where he has commonly gone by the name of Lewin's Cæſar; he ran away about 15 months ago, was taken up at Mr. Reſin Hammond's quarter on the Head of Severn, where he had been hired a conſiderable time as a free man, and was brought home about 10 days ſince; he probably will change his name and paſs for a free man again. Whoever apprehends the ſaid negro, and ſecures him ſo that I get him again, ſhall receive the above reward, and reaſonable charges if brought home.

3 J CRABB.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition will be preferred to the next general aſſembly, for a law to direct the recording a deed of conveyance from Jonathan Slater to Daniel Kent, of Calvert county, for part of a lot of land lying in Lower Marlborough, in ſaid county. 5 8w

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